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# Abbreviations/Acronyms

2D	two <b>d</b> imensional	CRADA	Cooperative <b>R</b> esearch and <b>D</b> evelopment <b>A</b> greement
3D	three <b>d</b> imensional	CRPL	Central <b>R</b> adio <b>P</b> ropagation <b>L</b> aboratory
3G	third <b>g</b> eneration	CRT	cathode <b>r</b> ay <b>t</b> ube
<b>A</b>		CSPM	Communication <b>S</b> ystem <b>P</b> erformance <b>M</b> odel
AAR	Association of American <b>R</b> ailroads	CSPT	Communication <b>S</b> ystem <b>P</b> lanning <b>T</b> ool
AFSK	<b>A</b> udio <b>F</b> requency <b>S</b> hift <b>K</b> eying	CW	continuous <b>w</b> ave
AGILE	<b>A</b> dvanced <b>G</b> eneration of <b>I</b> nteroperability for <b>L</b> aw <b>E</b> nforcement	<b>D</b>	
ANS	American <b>N</b> ational <b>S</b> tandard	DAQ	<b>D</b> elivered <b>A</b> udio <b>Q</b> uality
ANSI	American <b>N</b> ational <b>S</b> tandards <b>I</b> nstitute	dB	<b>d</b> ecibel
APCO	Association of <b>P</b> ublic-Safety <b>C</b> ommunications <b>O</b> fficials	DC	<b>d</b> irect <b>c</b> urrent
APD	<b>A</b> mplitude <b>P</b> robability <b>D</b> istribution	DFS	<b>D</b> ynamic <b>F</b> requency <b>S</b> election
APM	<b>A</b> dvanced <b>P</b> ropagation <b>M</b> odel	DGPS	<b>D</b> ifferential <b>G</b> PS
AQMS	<b>A</b> udio <b>Q</b> uality <b>M</b> easurement <b>S</b> ystem	DHS	<b>D</b> epartment of <b>H</b> omeland <b>S</b> ecurity
ASC	<b>A</b> verage <b>S</b> ignal <b>C</b> apacity	DLL	<b>D</b> ynamic <b>L</b> ink <b>L</b> ibrary
ASCII	American <b>S</b> tandard <b>C</b> ode for <b>I</b> nformation <b>I</b> nterchange	DOC	<b>D</b> epartment of <b>C</b> ommerce
ATB	<b>a</b> ntenna <b>t</b> est <b>b</b> ed	DOD	<b>D</b> epartment of <b>D</b> efense
ATIS	Alliance for <b>T</b> elecommunications <b>I</b> ndustry <b>S</b> olutions	DOJ	<b>D</b> epartment of <b>J</b> ustice
ATM	<b>A</b> synchronous <b>T</b> ransfer <b>M</b> ode	DNR	<b>D</b> raft <b>N</b> ew <b>R</b> ecommendation
AUGNET	<b>A</b> d hoc <b>U</b> AV and <b>G</b> round <b>N</b> etworking	DSCP	<b>D</b> igital <b>S</b> ampling <b>C</b> hannel <b>P</b> robe
<b>B</b>		DS-UWB	<b>D</b> irect-Sequence <b>U</b> ltrawideband
BAWT	<b>B</b> roadband <b>A</b> rbitrary <b>W</b> aveform <b>T</b> ransmitter	DT&E	<b>D</b> evelopmental <b>T</b> esting and <b>E</b> valuation
BPL	<b>B</b> roadband over <b>P</b> ower <b>L</b> ine	DTV	<b>d</b> igital <b>t</b> elevision
BWCF	<b>B</b> andwidth <b>C</b> orrection <b>F</b> actor	<b>E</b>	
<b>C</b>		EAS	<b>E</b> mergency <b>A</b> lert <b>S</b> ystem
CD	compact <b>d</b> isk	EIA	<b>E</b> lectrical <b>I</b> ndustries <b>A</b> ssociation
CDA	<b>C</b> ode <b>D</b> omain <b>A</b> nalyzer	EMC	<b>e</b> lectromagnetic <b>c</b> ompatibility
CEA	<b>C</b> onsumer <b>E</b> lectronics <b>A</b> ssociation	EMOS	<b>E</b> stimated <b>M</b> ean <b>O</b> pinion <b>S</b> core
CIF	<b>C</b> ommon <b>I</b> ntermediate <b>F</b> ormat	EMS	<b>E</b> mergency <b>M</b> edical <b>S</b> ervices
CIP	<b>C</b> ritical <b>I</b> nfrastructure <b>P</b> rotection	ESSA	<b>E</b> nvironmental <b>S</b> cience <b>S</b> ervices <b>A</b> dmistration
CommTech	<b>C</b> ommunications <b>T</b> echnology	ETS	<b>E</b> mergency <b>T</b> elecommunications <b>S</b> ervice
CONUS	<b>C</b> ontinental <b>U</b> . <b>S</b> .	EVA	<b>E</b> valuation <b>L</b> icense <b>A</b> greement
COPS	<b>O</b> ffice of <b>C</b> ommunity <b>O</b> riented <b>P</b> olicing <b>S</b> ervice		

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<b>F</b>		<b>I</b>	
FAA	Federal Aviation Administration	IEEE	Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers
FCC	Federal Communications Commission	IETF	Internet Engineering Task Force
FED	Federal	IF	intermediate frequency
FLEWUG	Federal Law Enforcement Wireless Users' Group	INFOSEC	Information System Security
FM	frequency modulation	IP	Internet Protocol
FPIC	Federal Partnership for Interoperability Communications	IPG	Intersessional Planning Group
FQT	Formal Qualification Test	IPPTG	Interoperability Process and Procedures Task Group
FR-TV	Full Reference Television	IRAC	Interdepartment Radio Advisory Committee
FSK	Frequency Shift Keying	IRL	Interoperability Research Laboratory
FTTA	Federal Technology Transfer Act	ISART	International Symposium on Advanced Radio Technologies
FY	Fiscal Year	ISM	Industrial, Scientific, and Medical
<b>G</b>		ISSI	Inter-rf Subsystem Interface
G3GRA	Radio Aspects of GSM/3G and Beyond	IT	Information Technology
GB	gigabyte	ITM	Irregular Terrain Model
GCC	Group Communications Center	ITS	Institute for Telecommunication Sciences
GETS	Government Emergency Telecommunications Service	ITSA	Institute for Telecommunication Sciences and Aeronomy
GHz	gigahertz	ITU	International Telecommunication Union
GIF	Graphics Interchange Format	ITU-R	International Telecommunication Union — Radiocommunication Sector
GIS	Geographic Information System	ITU-T	International Telecommunication Union — Telecommunication Standardization Sector
GJXDM	Global Justice XML Data Model	<b>J</b>	
GLOBE	Global Land One-km Base Elevation	JRG	Joint Rapporteur Group
GMF	Government Master File	JWN	Justice Wireless Network
GPRS	General Packet Radio Service	<b>K</b>	
GPS	Global Positioning System	kbps	kilobits per second
GSM	Global System for Mobile	kHz	kilohertz
GUI	Graphical User Interface	<b>L</b>	
GWSSUS	Gaussian Wide Sense Stationary Uncorrelated Scattering	LAN	Local Area Network
<b>H</b>		LCD	Liquid Crystal Display
HATS	Head and Torso Simulators	LMDS	Local Multipoint Distribution Service
HD	high definition	LMR	Land Mobile Radio
HDTV	High Definition Television	LOS	line of sight
HF	high frequency		
HTML	Hypertext Markup Language		
HTTP	Hypertext Transfer Protocol		

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**M**

MB-OFDM	<b>M</b> ulti- <b>B</b> and <b>O</b> rthogonal <b>F</b> requency- <b>D</b> ivision <b>M</b> ultiplexing
Mb/s, Mbps	<b>m</b> egabits <b>p</b> er <b>s</b> econd
MDC	<b>M</b> ulti- <b>D</b> escriptive <b>C</b> oding
MHz	<b>m</b> egahertz
MIMO	<b>M</b> ultiple <b>I</b> nput <b>M</b> ultiple <b>O</b> utput
MM	<b>m</b> ultimedia
MMQA	<b>M</b> ultimedia <b>Q</b> uality <b>A</b> ssessment
MPLS	<b>M</b> ultiprotocol <b>L</b> abel <b>S</b> witching
MSTV	Association for <b>M</b> aximum <b>S</b> ervice <b>T</b> elevision

**N**

NASTD	<b>N</b> ational <b>A</b> ssociation of <b>S</b> tate <b>T</b> elecommunications <b>D</b> irectors
NCS	<b>N</b> ational <b>C</b> ommunications <b>S</b> ystem
NDRS	<b>N</b> ational <b>D</b> istress and <b>R</b> esponse <b>S</b> ystem
NGN	<b>N</b> ext <b>G</b> eneration <b>N</b> etwork
NI	<b>N</b> ational <b>I</b> nstruments
NIJ	<b>N</b> ational <b>I</b> nstitute of <b>J</b> ustice
NIST	<b>N</b> ational <b>I</b> nstitute of <b>S</b> tandards and <b>T</b> echnology
NOAA	<b>N</b> ational <b>O</b> ceanic and <b>A</b> tmospheric <b>A</b> dministration
NORAD	<b>N</b> orth <b>A</b> merican <b>A</b> erospace <b>D</b> efense <b>C</b> ommand
NRL	<b>N</b> aval <b>R</b> esearch <b>L</b> aboratory
NRSSC	<b>N</b> etwork <b>R</b> eliability and <b>S</b> ecurity <b>S</b> ubcommittee
NS/EP	<b>N</b> ational <b>S</b> ecurity and <b>E</b> mergency <b>P</b> reparedness
NTIA	<b>N</b> ational <b>T</b> elecommunications and <b>I</b> nformation <b>A</b> dministration
NWR	<b>N</b> OAA <b>W</b> eather <b>R</b> adio
NWS	<b>N</b> ational <b>W</b> eather <b>S</b> ervice

**O**

OAM	<b>O</b> peration, <b>A</b> dministration and <b>M</b> aintenance
OFDM	<b>O</b> rthogonal <b>F</b> requency- <b>D</b> ivision <b>M</b> ultiplexing
OLES	<b>O</b> ffice of <b>L</b> aw <b>E</b> nforcement <b>S</b> tandards
OMB	<b>O</b> ffice of <b>M</b> anagement and <b>B</b> udget
OQPSK	<b>O</b> ffset <b>Q</b> uadrature <b>P</b> hase- <b>S</b> hift <b>K</b> eying
OSM	<b>O</b> ffice of <b>S</b> pectrum <b>M</b> anagement
OT	<b>O</b> ffice of <b>T</b> elecommunications
OTN	<b>O</b> ptical <b>T</b> ransport <b>N</b> etwork
OTP	<b>O</b> ffice of <b>T</b> elecommunications <b>P</b> olicy

**P**

P25	<b>P</b> roject <b>25</b>
PBS	<b>P</b> ublic <b>B</b> roadcasting <b>S</b> ystem
PC	<b>p</b> ersonal <b>c</b> omputer
PCS	<b>P</b> ersonal <b>C</b> ommunications <b>S</b> ervices
PDD	<b>P</b> residential <b>D</b> ecision <b>D</b> irective
PDNR	<b>P</b> reliminary <b>D</b> raft <b>N</b> ew <b>R</b> ecommendation
PESQ	<b>P</b> erceptual <b>E</b> valuation of <b>S</b> peech <b>Q</b> uality
PLMN	<b>P</b> ublic <b>L</b> and <b>M</b> obile <b>N</b> etwork
PRF	<b>P</b> ulse <b>R</b> epetition <b>F</b> requency
PRQC	<b>N</b> etwork <b>P</b> erformance, <b>R</b> eliability and <b>Q</b> uality of <b>S</b> ervice <b>C</b> ommittee
PSTN	<b>P</b> ublic <b>S</b> witched <b>T</b> elephone <b>N</b> etwork
PSWAC	<b>P</b> ublic <b>S</b> afety <b>W</b> ireless <b>A</b> dvisory <b>C</b> ommittee
PSWN	<b>P</b> ublic <b>S</b> afety <b>W</b> ireless <b>N</b> etwork

**Q**

QoS	<b>Q</b> uality of <b>S</b> ervice
QPSK	<b>Q</b> uadrature <b>P</b> hase- <b>S</b> hift <b>K</b> eying

**R**

R&D	<b>research and development</b>
RCG	<b>Radar Correspondence Group</b>
RF	<b>radio frequency</b>
RFID	<b>Radio Frequency Identification</b>
RFSS	<b>Radio Frequency Subsystem</b>
RLAN	<b>Radio Local Area Network</b>
RNSS	<b>Radionavigation Satellite Service</b>
RRC	<b>Regional Radio Conference</b>
RSEC	<b>Radar Spectrum Engineering Criteria</b>
RSMS	<b>Radio Spectrum Measurement System</b>
RSMS-4	<b>4th Generation RSMS</b>

**S**

SAFECOM	<b>Public Safety Wireless Communications</b>
SAME	<b>Specific Area Message Encoding</b>
SC	<b>Signal Capacity</b>
SD	<b>Standard Definition</b>
SDMA	<b>Space Division Multiple Access</b>
SDTV	<b>Standard Definition Television</b>
SG	<b>Study Group</b>
SIP	<b>Session Initiation Protocol</b>
SIPRNET	<b>Secret Internet Protocol Routable Network</b>
SIT	<b>System Integration Test</b>
SNMP	<b>Simple Network Management Protocol</b>
SONET	<b>Synchronous Optical Network</b>
SOR	<b>Statement of Requirements</b>
STG	<b>Systems Task Group</b>
SUT	<b>System Under Test</b>

**T**

T&E	<b>test and evaluation</b>
TA Services	<b>Telecommunications Analysis Services</b>
TAP	<b>Traditional Approval Process</b>
TG	<b>Task Group</b>
TIA	<b>Telecommunications Industry Association</b>
TIREM	<b>Terrain Integrated Rough Earth Model</b>
TR	<b>Technical Report</b>
TSB	<b>Telecommunications Systems Bulletin</b>

**U**

UAV	<b>unmanned aerial vehicle</b>
UHF	<b>ultra high frequency</b>
UNIX	<b>uniplexed information and computing service</b>
UNS	<b>User Needs Subcommittee</b>
URL	<b>Uniform Resource Locator</b>
URSI	<b>International Union of Radio Science</b>
US	<b>United States</b>
USCG	<b>U.S. Coast Guard</b>
USGS	<b>U.S. Geological Survey</b>
UWB	<b>ultrawideband</b>

**V**

VHF	<b>very high frequency</b>
VoIP	<b>Voice over Internet Protocol</b>
VPN	<b>Virtual Private Network</b>
VQEG	<b>Video Quality Experts Group</b>
VQM	<b>Video Quality Measurement</b>
VSA	<b>vector signal analyzer</b>

**W**

WCTF	<b>Wireless Communications Task Force</b>
Wi-Fi	<b>Wireless Fidelity</b>
WLAN	<b>Wireless LAN</b>
WMO	<b>Wireless Management Office</b>
WNRC	<b>Wireless Networks Research Center</b>
WP	<b>Working Party</b>
WPAN	<b>Wireless Personal Area Network</b>
WTSA	<b>World Telecommunication Standardization Assembly</b>

**X**

XML	<b>Extensible Markup Language</b>
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